

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**RFQ # 0634-227**

**Title: PCIT Training and Consultation Services**

The State of Washington, Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) intends to issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ #0634-277) to provide training and consulting services to practitioners pre-identified by DSHS to receive "Parent Child Interaction Therapy" (PCIT) training. This training follows the model defined in the Parent Child Interaction Therapy (Hembree-King & McNeil, 1995) book.

The State of Washington has adopted the PCIT method to assist parents and children by improving communication and will be using training material adapted from the PCIT program. Practitioners have been identified by DSHS/Children's and will be contracted to use this model for referred DSHS clients. To ensure consistency, DSHS will require the same training program for all contracted practitioners and will provide a consulting resource for questions, guidance and onsite observation of the application of the PCIT model.

Work is expected to begin on one or more contracts resulting from this procurement on November 1, 2006.

The successful bidder(s) must have a PhD or Master's degree in Social Work, Psychology, Education, or related field or a Bachelor's degree in Social Work, Psychology, Education, or related field with at least two years relevant work experience; have completed PCIT Coach training as defined in the Washington State Parent Child Interaction Therapy Quality Assurance and Improvement System; successfully served to completion of PCIT at least ten families (120 to 200 hours of direct PCIT coaching); provide, or have access to a facility and the equipment necessary to conduct classroom training and observed live coaching

RFQ #0634-227 will be issued on or about August 18, 2006 and responses will be due on or about September 18, 2006.

This notice and all documents relevant to this procurement will be available at the DSHS Procurements website at <http://www1.dshs.wa.gov/msa/ccs>.

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